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Didsbury Children Present Operetta

Playing to a capacity audience at the Opera House on December 21st, some ninety children of the Public School scored an outstanding success in the operetta, "The Land of Dreams Come True."

Lois Edwards, Lorna Carleton, Sandy Caithness and Bennie Wyman took their parts exceptionally well, and other leading characters were Joyce Levagood, Jessie Booker and Betty Boorman.

The theme song, "In the Land of Dreams Come True," was sung by Lois Edwards. Solos were also given by Mother Goose and Jack Horner. The Boorman twins, Sam and Mary, as Jack and Jill sang a duet, and little Howard Cole as Wee Wee Winkle just about brought down the house.

The Didsbury Boys' Band gave a number of selections between acts.

The tremendous work necessary to make the operetta a success was donated by the teachers of the Public School. Each teacher trained a section of youngsters. Mr. C. R. Ford, principal of the school, was the musical director, supported by Mrs. J. Boorman at the piano, and Mrs. C. H. Ashhead, violin. Assistance was also given by Mrs. J. R. Cunningham and Miss Lola Hunsberger.

Open Bonspiel

An open bonspiel will be held by the Didsbury Curling Club commencing Monday Jan. 8th and arrangements are being made to make this popular event a big success.

There will be three events, two open and one consolation. The prizes will be on display at one of the stores during the week end.

Sidewalks to be Kept Clear

Arrangements have been made to have the snow shovelled off all the main sidewalks in town during the winter, and pedestrians are asked to use the sidewalk instead of the road. The danger to pedestrians walking on the road is increased by frosty windshields on cars during this cold weather.

Mitchell Cup

The Mitchell Cup has again been brought out for competition amongst local rinks.

The first games were played on Tuesday evening when Briscoe beat Jullien, McCloy beat Edwards, Haupt beat Berscht and McNaughton beat Studer.

The draw for Wednesday evening was: Pat vs. Fisher, McCloy vs. Haupt, McNaughton vs. Sinclair, McGhee vs. Johnson.

Evangelistic Services.

Commencing Friday, January 5th and continuing till Sunday, January 14th there will be evangelistic services every evening at 7:45 in the S.B.C. Church. The Reverend Mr. Thomson, of Red Deer, will be the evangelist. A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all.

Annual Meeting, Anglican Church

The annual meeting of the congregation of St. Cyprian's Anglican Church will be held on Wednesday January 10th, at 8:00 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Booker. Brevsholtz is requested to attend and take part in this meeting.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Miss Marie Chambers spent New Years with friends in Calgary.

Miss Margaret Ranton, Lacombe, spent Christmas at her home here.

Miss Eileen Durrer entertained at tea last Thursday afternoon.

There will be a dance at Elktion school Friday January 12th in aid of the Red Cross.

Mr. Albert Meston visited with his parents at Three Hills during the holidays.

Mr. M. Herchbeck, of Chipman, Alta., was a visitor at the Pearson home over Christmas and New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Esler, of Torrington, visited at Didsbury and Crossfield over New Years.

Miss Mae Royda was confined to her home a few days last week on account of ill health.

Mrs. W. J. Hillyard entertained at two tables of bridge Wednesday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richards, of Calgary, were the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Minkler, of Tacoma, Wash., spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. E. V. Woodcock, leaving Sunday.

Mr. R. D. Anderson and son wish to thank their many friends for their thoughtful kindness at Christmas, and wish them all a Happy New Year.

The Young People's Society of Knox United Church held a skating party at the rink Thursday evening last, afterwards adjoining to the Moyle home for lunch.

Miss Mollie Pearson visited with Mr. and Mrs. P. Reed at Calgary over the holidays and attended the reunion of the Calgary Normal students.

Messrs. Ormond Phillipson, Geo. Hawkes, Elmer Evans, Tom Clarke and Miss Connie Hoesgood, who are attending the University of Alberta, spent the holidays at their respective homes here.

The Didsbury 15 and under hockey team, "International Devils," played Carstairs at Didsbury last Thursday evening and won out 4-3 after some arguments. The 17 and under team won from Carstairs twice, at Didsbury on Wednesday and Carstairs on Friday.

DIDSBURY MARKETS.

WHEAT	
No. 1 Northern	43
No. 2	38
No. 3	35
No. 4	33
No. 5	30
No. 6	25
OATS	
No. 2 C W	17
No. 3	14
Extra No. 1 Feed	14
No. 1 Feed	12
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No. 3	15
RYE	
No. 2	23

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Butcher	6.20

At Didsbury

McNaughton Rink Wins 'Tally-Ho' Shirts

The first schedule of the curling club was completed last week, and the Studer and McNaughton rinks played off in the finals on Monday morning.

The finals were closely contested, with Studer's rink possibly having the edge up to the last end, when the score stood Studer 8, McNaughton 7.

In the last end, however, the McNaughton rink laid 2 up and won the game 9-7.

Each member of the winning rink was presented with a "Forsyth Tally-Ho" shirt presented by Mr. J. V. Berscht.

The personnel of the competing rinks were:

A. McNaughton, skip; W. G. Liesemer, E. G. Ranton and N. S. Clarke.

A. G. Studer, skip; Jim Caithness, Russell Berscht and H. M. Reiber.

Farmer's Narrow Escape

Sid Morasch had the misfortune to break his leg early Tuesday morning, when his horse fell with him as he was returning home from visiting a neighbor. The weather was bitterly cold and it was fortunate that he was able to crawl into the farmyard and attract the attention of Mr. W. P. Shultz or he would otherwise have frozen to death. He was given first-aid and afterwards taken to Calgary for treatment.

Hello England!

The first telephone conversation between England to Didsbury was held on Dec. 24th, when Mrs. Mabel Roberts, who recently purchased the Lantz place south of town received Christmas greetings from her husband who still resides in England.

It is reported that the message came over the wires very distinctly and was in every way satisfactory.

Evangelical Church Destroyed By Fire

The Zion Evangelical Church was completely destroyed by fire on Sunday and for a time the whole northwest section of the town was threatened. The loss is estimated at about \$5,000.00.

The fire broke out at about 2:15 p.m. near the chimney at the north end of the church and apparently burnt between the joists and spread over the whole building when it reached the roof.

The fire brigade responded promptly with the chemical engine but the extremely cold weather badly hampered the firemen. It was soon seen that the church was doomed and attention was turned to the parsonage and other buildings.

Gallant work by the firemen and volunteers under Fire Chief Frank Kaufman who organized a bucket brigade in spite of the 25 below zero weather saved the parsonage and out-building. The parsonage caught fire on several occasions but the flames were promptly extinguished and the danger to surrounding buildings was averted.

Practically all the church furniture was removed from the building including the valuable organ. Most of the hymn books and choir books were also saved.

The furniture in the parsonage was also removed and unfortunately in the hurry and excitement considerable damage was done to it.

The morning and noon services were over when the fire occurred and the building had been vacated about an hour previously.

The church was one of the oldest in Didsbury, having been built in 1902. Insurance amounting to \$3500.00 was carried on the building and \$500.00 on the contents.

The officials of both the Knox United and the Mennonite Church offered the use of their churches to the Evangelical Congregation and arrangements are being made to hold their services in these churches.

BORN

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Unique Banquet Held At Royal Winter Fair When Menu Featured All Canadian Products

Several hundred farmers from all parts of Canada were present at a banquet during the Royal Winter Fair held in Toronto, November 22 to 29 at which every item on the menu was the product of, or nearly all of them, farm products.

There were oysters from Prince Edward Island, and the shell fish from there is incomparable. Alberta provided the sugar, produced from sugar beets grown at Foxmond near 14th bridge, British Columbia sent celery and fruits, and Ontario also provided fruits and other edibles. The bread was made from flour from Saskatchewan wheat. The turkeys came from Manitoba and cranberries for the accompanying sauce were New Brunswick contribution.

Neither ice nor coffee was served at this banquet, the beverages being limited to apple cider from Nova Scotia, grape juice from Ontario, and Canadian-made ginger ale. The cauliflower came from Quebec, potatoes from New Brunswick and the pumpkin pie from Ontario. The Canadian Government Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, supplied the cheese, and Ontario and British Columbia furnished the nuts.

Although Canada is a great exporter of food products, she imports large quantities of foodstuffs, particularly seasonable fruits and vegetables, much of which comes from the United States.

This All-Canadian banquet a feature of the Royal Winter Fair is just a little demonstration that Canada can feed herself if necessary and suffer little, if any, from lack of variety or quality.—Canada Week 129 Week.

Swiss Watch Trade Menaced

Japanese Selling Timepieces In Geneva Have Found

"Why buy one watch? Buy a pound of watches."

This has become the slogan of Japanese dumpers on the Swiss watch market.

Watches "made in Japan" are selling in the Jura district of Geneva for 18 Swiss francs a pound—and no local manufacturer can compete with them.

That delicate timepieces should be sold by the weight like common nails or bolts has angered the big watchmen of Switzerland.

An urgent emergency measure based on eighteenth century economic reasoning has been hurriedly put into force to protect the age-old Swiss trade.

All watch machinery exported from the country is taxed a prohibitive export duty of 9,000 Swiss francs, according to the measure.

This tax is based on the theory that the only way to beat competition is to prevent it. "Keep the watch machinery in the country and there will be no foreign competition," says the Swiss Government.

But the leading manufacturers are not satisfied and are asking for stronger protective measures. They demand a quota system be applied to all foreign watches.

England Getting Fresh

Chickens From Canada

Former Shipments Were All Confined To Cold Storage Supplies

Fresh Canadian chickens are now being shipped to Britain for the first time.

The shipments are made possible by recent tariff changes in Great Britain which admit poultry duty free while foreign poultry must pay three pence per pound duty, which is much higher than the former rate of 10 percent ad valorem.

Formerly, Canadian shipments of poultry largely were confined to cold storage supplies. The four leading suppliers of poultry for the British market were Hungary, Iraq, Free State, Serbia and France, while Canada came sixth.

Railway excursions in Germany are showing a marked increase.

Canada comprises 27 per cent of the total area of the British Empire.

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Printing Crime News

Publicity Is Punishment Which Many Law Breakers Fear

Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, noted lecturer and preacher, presented an interesting thought upon the publication of crime news in a recent speech. He said: "It is not the publicity which should distress us, but the deeds that it covet conceals. If their wickedness were done in secret, how they would flourish. Rogues could strut among us unashamed and thieves and assassins commit their act with far less fear of detection." Every newspaper can produce evidence of the value of publicity as a deterrent to crime by the number of requests which are made from time to time to keep names out of the paper in connection with police court news, showing that publicity is a punishment which is feared.—Chatham News.



By Ruth Rogers



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Raising More Sheep

Marked Increase In Number On Alberta Farms

Striking evidence of the decided swing to mixed farming is the marked increase in the number of sheep on central and northern Alberta farms. Small farm flocks continue to climb and, according to authorities, there is a wide market for Alberta wool in England and elsewhere. The price of wool has increased more than 100 per cent. over last year.

In the 1931 census, 72,159 farms in Alberta reported the possession of sheep, compared to 59,556 farms in 1925.

The sheep population of the province grew from 570,000 in 1927 to 922,000 in 1932. The value of sheep per head in 1932 dropped to its lowest level in more than 30 years.

J. F. Andrew, assistant deputy Minister of Agriculture, is the authority for the statement that there is a definite place for the small farm flock on northern and central Alberta farms, each flock tending to make the farm more of a self-contained unit.

Mr. Andrew commented on the steady increase of farm flocks in northern and central Alberta, on the direction of the northward drift of farm population. "Not many years ago, a flock was something of a rarity event in the southern part of the province."

Making Stations Attractive

Europe And England Realize Gloom Not Attractive To Tourists

Good news for tourists is the announcement that the primordial gloom of European railway stations is to be dispelled by a brightening-up process.

The cold, dank atmosphere of stations in Britain, the railways realize, probably has done more than anything else—next to bad hotels—to keep foreign visitors from returning. By solving their first necessity, they also found that Englishmen were ready to travel by rail instead of motor cars if conditions could be made slightly more attractive.

Meanwhile, water taxis have been operating on the Thames to provide the commuter a novel and pleasant way of going to the office. Until now the Thames alone has escaped the traffic congestion common to London's narrow streets.

Fall Rice Average Less

Fall rice average in Saskatchewan in 1933 shows quite a decrease from the figures for 1932. In 1932 there were 264,000 acres of this grain sown in Saskatchewan and this fall the average is given as 250,000. The total decrease in Canada, 50,300 acres. Saskatchewan shows the greatest decrease of all provinces.

Basic English Suggested As A Simplified Language For General Use The World Over

Byrd Expedition Using Oil-Finding Machine

To Determine Whether Land Or Water Lies Under Ice Cap

Daily directions from Tulsa, oil capital of the United States, will be sent by short wave radio to the Byrd Antarctic expedition party as it tests to determine thickness of ice that blankets the Antarctic continent. The testing will be done with seismographic equipment that records the paths and deflection of sound waves beneath the surface of the ice when explosives are discharged. It will determine whether water or solid soil is beneath the ice.

The equipment, used in explorations for oil in the United States, was developed by a Tulsa firm, and it is the firm that will give the radio directions.

The station is being assembled now and will be ready for use January 1, 1934, when the Byrd party is expected to start actual work in the Antarctic. Daily reports of progress will be received, all the messages being in code.

The equipment was developed by the Seismograph Service Corp.

Advice For Dentists

Keep Patient's Mind Occupied Is Secret Of Painless Work

Denial "small talk," that constant line of chatter with which the practitioner tries to keep the patient's mind off the buzz of drills and the yank of forceps, now is glorified under the name of applied psychology.

Delegates to the annual convention of the Western Pennsylvania Odontological Society extracted that bit of wisdom from an address by Dr. C. A. Whitmer, of the University of Pittsburgh.

"A great many people go to a dentist believing they are in acute pain. They really are not—but there's no reason to tell them so. Just treat them as if they were in pain for a while and then, when you say, 'Now, that doesn't hurt a bit, does it?' they'll think they feel fine."

Of course, if the patient is really in pain—well!

Early Settlers

Asiatic peoples were crossing the Bering Straits into Alaska and down to British Columbia and western Canada as late as 1300 A.D. Dr. Martin Barber told the Royal Canadian Institute, recently, in the course of an address on the "Early Peopling of Canada."

UNIQUE PICTURE OF ARMISTICE DAY CEREMONIES

This picture, taken by the infra-red process, shows a general view of the impressive two minutes' silence at the Cenotaph in Whitehall, London, England. The red uniforms of the guards become almost white, and the trees along Whitehall change to perfect specimens of orange blossom as the infra-red pierces the misty morning to reproduce a remarkable photograph.

"Basic English," a simplification of the English tongue intended to provide a workable solution to the language communications problems of the world, has been launched by the Orthological Institute of Cambridge, England.

Failure of many attempts to provide an "invented" language that could be used throughout the world as a means of communication between the people of all nations who speak 1500 living languages led to the effort to adapt the English tongue for the purpose.

The new form of English, introduced to Canada at the Institute of Pacific Relations Conference at Banff, in August, contains only 850 words, 800 of them nouns, 150 adjectives, 16 verbs and names of operators and the rest adverbs, prepositions or names of directions.

These, in addition to numbers, weights and measures, the cardinal and ordinal numbers, and the alphabet, already internationalized, do the work of 500,000 words of English at a level of ordinary communications.

English was chosen for the new medium because it is the natural or administrative language of 500,000,000 people, and because no other language is susceptible to the same kind of simplification. With no inflections and analytic in structure it is not only closer to the language habits of many Orientals but, for the same reason, is easier to learn.

The interest with which persons in all parts of the earth have turned to this form of English (in which this paragraph is written) gives its backers the belief that it may be put to a great number of uses. Letters have come into the Orthological Institute in Cambridge by the thousands from all parts of Europe, the Far East and the United States. Schools in the states on the American Pacific Coast are interested in it as a way of helping the young Chinese and Japanese to a good knowledge of English. In China, where English is the second language, there is much interest in it, and Japanese teachers are about to put it in their schools.

Widely differentiated uses of a word are eliminated in the new medium, such as "for" in the sense of "because," "that" in the sense of a relative pronoun, or the use of a horse's harness. It makes use of the fact almost all verbs can be analyzed into one of a few fundamental operations in combination with a directive. The simplest combinations of these elements for the most common verbs, such as "put in," "insert," "go up," "climb," "take out," "for," "extricate," and "go against a law" for "break a law."

In the same way, by descriptive analysis, many names of things are reduced to telegraphic terms. A "journalist" becomes "a newspaperman" and a "desk" a "writing table."

Hurricanes Above The Earth

Terrific Storms Observed At Height Of SIXTY Miles

That terrific storms rare sixty miles above the earth is the report of Dr. Charles P. Olivier of the University of Pennsylvania. Some of these hurricanes travel at 150 miles an hour, blow at an angle of 55 degrees at a speed great enough to draw a balloon upward at twice express train speed. Three high-speed winds were observed and measured with the aid of meteoric "trains" according to Dr. Olivier. They were caught while fourteen stations between New York and Fredricksburg, Virginia, were checking the flight of the Leonid meteor shower. One of these trains was watched for several minutes while it floated between 1,500 and 2,500 miles up. Several stations checked its motion accurately. The wind drove the train up at an angle of 55 degrees at a speed of 145 miles an hour.

Sky Was Not Red

The Soviet flight to the stratosphere that bettered Prof. Poyarkov's record was a deep disappointment to Moscow, states The Argonaut. "The sky at eleven miles was a deep, a very soft, purple-red red."

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Church Announcements**M.B.C. CHURCH**

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Sunday Services:
1:30 p.m.—Sunday School
2:45 p.m.—Preaching Service.
7:15 p.m.—Preaching Service, including Young People's meeting every alternate Sunday.
Wednesday Evenings, 8 o'clock.
Prayer Service.

EVANGELICAL

Rev. H. J. Wood, Pastor

Welcome to the Evangelical Church
Up-to-date in Methods.
Evangelistic in Spirit.
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10:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
11:30 a.m. Sabbath School.
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship.
Sunday Evening, 7:30 p.m. Service.
Lecture, Lecture, Lecture.
Wednesday Evening, 8 p.m. Prayer Service.

UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. J. Mitchell, Minister

11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7:30 p.m.—Service.
The minister will preach Sunday at Westcott at 2:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Rev. A. D. Currie

January 7—Holy Communion 11 a.m.
January 21—Evening 7:30 p.m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. J. J. Karing, Pastor
Westcott, 1st Sun. 10:30 a.m.; German
2nd " " " English
3rd " " " German
4th " " " English
5th " " " German
Didsbury: 1st Sunday, 2nd, 3rd and 4th, services at 2:30 p.m. 4th Sunday, 11 a.m.

RUGBY NOTES

Don't forget the dance sponsored by the Cheer-up Club in the Rugby school tomorrow (Friday) evening. Gents 25c. Ladies please bring cake. Good music. Come and have a good time.

'Twas the evening after Xmas Day, and the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Evans was the centre of a hilarious scene when Miss Bessie Evans entertained a group of young people in honor of Miss Connie Hesegood, who is spending her vacation at home. Whilst occupied the first half of the evening, honoree going to Mrs. H. Hesegood and Mr. D. Hesegood, while Mrs. Bert Smith and Mr. Arnold Russell were awarded consolations. Following this a dainty and bounteous lunch was served. A piece of mistletoe mysteriously disappeared and reappeared, a circumstance of which the boys were quick to take advantage. The remainder of the evening was most enjoyably spent in games and music. Among those present were the Misses A. Hesegood, M. Shannon, E. Russell, P. Bernard, N. Burt, B. Burt and H. Kyncl. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Blain, Mr. and Mrs. Ann McRae, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hesegood. Messrs. W. Dobson, J. Kyncl, C. Brown, K. Bernard, J. Wright, A. Russell, O. Blain, A. Krebs, A. Hogg, L. Evans, G. Evans, L. Oliver, P. Hesegood, D. Hesegood. All reported a swell time.

Westcott Notes.

The next literary program at the school is to be held January 12th, when Mrs. Clarence Kinchard will have charge of the entertainment.

A fairly large crowd enjoyed the program presented at the Lutheran Church on Christmas Eve.

The Bolander Bros. from Bearberry passed through with their cattle a few days ago. They are settling for the winter in the Waterloo district.

We hear that Mr. Knott has been doing a 24-hour towage service. We're not wishing him any failure in his lively business, but we most certainly wouldn't mind seeing some of this snow melt into little streams of water.

The people on the west mail route wish to thank Mr. Gilrie, the carrier of the past few years, for his unceasing co-operation and kindness in innumerable ways. We shall miss his ready smile on these cold, frosty mornings.

Westcott W.L. met at the home of Mrs. Harry Leavood last Thursday for the annual business meeting and election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. R. Webster; vice-president, Mrs. J. Robertson; secretary, Mrs. M. Jacobsen. Arrangements were made for the compiling of the 1934 program. Lunch was served by the hostess and the meeting adjourned. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jas. Hughes.

Elkton Notes.

Dance at Elkton school Friday, January 12th. In aid of Red Cross.

The people on the west mail route are sincerely regretting the losing of their most kindly and efficient mailman.

Mr. and Mrs. Romaine were Calgary visitors recently, when they went to see their little son, who has been in the Junior Red Cross Hospital for some time.

The Elkton children's Christmas concert was a huge success, with one of the biggest crowds ever seen in the schoolhouse. The tumbling act put on by the smaller boys was well received and had to be repeated, as did the dance of the jumpy Jack dolls by Mona and Katherine Lynch. The dialogue by the grade 8 boys was a scream, with John Kyncl the star player. Songs, carols, etc. made up a splendid program. Santa arrived and gave out presents, each child, including visitors, receiving a sack of candy and nuts. Lunch was served and dancing indulged in till the wee sma' hours.

FOR SALE.—Good second hand heaters and ranges. Apply Builders Hardware Stores.

Mountain View Notes

Miss Doris Brown spent Christmas in Calgary.

Several residents turned out and enjoyed the Christmas program given by the pupils of Neapolis school.

The annual meeting of the local W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. McCoy, when the election of officers took place. Mrs. Ranton gave a splendid paper on the League of Nations. The next meeting will be held at Community Hall, when Mesdames Hill and Devolin act as hostesses for the afternoon.

A splendid Christmas concert was given by pupils of Gore and Mona schools. Mr. B. A. Atkinson acted as chairman. Despite severe cold all the children turned out, many of them arriving in sleighs with their parents. The children's songs were ably accompanied by Miss Smith and Mrs. Hill. Following the concert, Santa Claus appeared and distributed candy bags and presents to the children.

WEEKLY JOKE

The schoolmaster was examining a junior class and in the course of his talk said:

"Now boys, supposing I saw a man beating a donkey and I stopped him, what virtue would my action show?"

Quick as a flash a bright little fellow replied, "Brotherly love, sir."

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Temperance will be included in the study course of 500,000 Minnesota public school pupils beginning next September.

The "Friendship" peace pact between Yugoslavia and Turkey were signed recently by emissaries of both countries.

Upward of \$100,000,000 has been loaned farmers by the United States farm credit administration since March to help alleviate mortgage troubles of agriculturists.

"There can be no question of an all-Irish parliament," declared Viscount Craigavon, premier of Ulster since the Irish partition, in a statement two days before polling in the northern Ireland general election.

Hon. C. H. Cahane, secretary of state in the Dominion cabinet, recently left Montreal for Boston, where he will board the "Lady Hawkins" for a holiday cruise through the West Indies and to British Guiana.

After entertaining thousands of Century of Progress visitors with poisonous snakes, Hajj Mohamed, 93, returned to his native Tunis, Africa, only to be fatally bitten by one of the reptiles.

The American Library Association, which includes members in Canada, as well as the United States, has selected Montreal for the 56th annual convention, it is announced. The convention will be held in June, 1934.

The tariff board has ruled that roasting peanuts is a manufacturing process and therefore subject to sales tax. The board turned down an appeal made recently by the Canadian Fruit and Vegetable Association for a contrary ruling.

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Canadian suits possessed special keeping qualities and were therefore purchased by the war office for the reserve supply depots. Captain A. Duff-Cooper, financial secretary to the war office, explained in answer to a question in the British House of Commons.

Wine Poultry Prizes

Dick Irvin, Famous Hockey Player Is Poultry Fancier

Dick Irvin, coach of the Toronto Maple Leafs hockey team, knows how to turn out smart poultry as well as smart hockey players. He showed the best Wyandotte chicken at the Royal Winter Fair and captured sixth and seventh prizes with a hen and a pullet.

This is the second time the well-known sportsman has walked off with honors for chickens at the Royal. He showed for the first time last year and at that time won third and fourth prizes in Wyandottes. Mr. Irvin hails from Regina, and his win makes the first time this prize has been taken by the west.

There are others in the sports world who chase flocks in the winter and raise chickens, cows and horses in the summer. It was learned from Buzz Bell, of the Maple Leafs, Mr. Irvin said, has a ranch at Regina. The famous Boston Bruin holdout, Eddie Shore, and the Cook Brothers of the New York Rangers are neighbors, as distances go in the west, of the Irvin ranch.

Mr. Irvin has been raising chickens for 22 years, ever since he demonstrated a preference for Regina over his native city, Hamilton.

He also raises racing pigeons and Great Danes.

"I'm coming back to get the Leghorns prize next year," he said.

A Hungry Population

The following is an estimate of what the London Zoo needs for food for the animals: Apples, 8 tons; grapes, 2 tons; carrots, 10 cwt.; potatoes, 40 lbs.; oranges, 14,650; meat, many tons; egg yolk, 140 lbs.; eggs, 20,000; syrup, 291 lbs.; condensed milk, 15,000 lbs.; and 436 gallons dates, 18 cwt.; nuts, 15,000 lbs.; bread, 15 tons; honey, 54 lbs.; bread, 15 tons; vegetables, 30 tons; fish, 15 tons.

Prison Has Model Dairy

Surroundings Of Reformatory At Bakersfield, California, Are Attractive

Being a rosy-cheeked milkmaid in an Adam's Eden is no great attraction for any woman, ancient or modern, according to the theory of Sheriff Gus Walser, of Kern County, California, himself a typical western sheriff and a first-class cowhand.

"They will get tired of it," commented Sheriff Walser, on a visit to the new State Prison for Women, which includes a model dairy. The sheriff's comment was prompted by the arrival of thirty additional women prisoners from San Quentin. The first contingent of 28 women arrived at the new institution last month. The prison will soon provide sanctuary for 145 women prisoners.

The model reformatory is in a secluded valley fifty miles east of Bakersfield in the mountains.

Each inmate has an attractive room, and each dormitory has a separate kitchen and dining room.

The group of buildings was erected at a cost of \$500,000 on an 1,800-acre farm which the women will operate.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barnhart)

WASHINGTON PRUNE FAIRFAIT

- 2 cups cooked prunes.
- 1 cup sweetened condensed milk.
- 1 pint whipping cream.
- 2 oranges.
- 12 candied cherries.

Remove pits from prunes and cut into small pieces. Peel oranges, removing all white membrane, and cut oranges into small pieces. Cut eight cherries into small pieces, saving four to decorate ice cream. Whip cream. Combine prunes, oranges, cherries and condensed milk, mix thoroughly, add whipped cream and mix again. Pour into refrigerator pan, decorate top with remaining sliced cherries, place in freezing unit and freeze three or four hours.

QUICK CABBAGE

- 1½ quarts shredded cabbage.
- 3 cups milk.
- 1 cup cream or rich milk.
- 2½ tablespoons butter.
- 2½ tablespoons flour.
- 2 teaspoons sugar.
- Salt and pepper.

Cook the cabbage for two minutes in the three cups of hot milk. Add the cup of cream or rich milk, the blended butter and flour, sugar, salt and pepper. Cook rapidly for three or four minutes. The result is a crisp vegetable, delicate in flavor and color.

To Protect The Foolish

New York Bars Sale Or Use Of Eye-Brow And Eyelash Dyes

The sale or use of eyebrow and eyelash dyes containing harmful ingredients was banned in New York recently, as health authorities sought to curb the spread of eye maladies in the city.

Health Commissioner Shirley Wynne announced that the Board of Health had amended section 128 of the sanitary code to prohibit the manufacture, sale or use of dyes containing high percentages of aniline derivatives or silver nitrate.

NOTED ARTISTS RESUME BROADCASTING



LAWRENCE TIBBETT



RICHARD CROOKS

The many radio fans who appreciate good music will be glad to know that Lawrence Tibbett and Richard Crooks resumed broadcasting on Dec. 4th and will be heard alternately every Monday night throughout the winter months over the N.B.C. Network.



By Ruth Rogers



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"Old Stuff" To Indians

Modern Social Customs Observed By Them Centuries Ago

Many of the supposedly ultra-modern social practices, including companionate marriage, equal rights for women, pacifism, sun bathing and plucked eyebrows, were old customs among Indians centuries before Caucasian civilization adopted them.

This assertion was made by W. B. Newell, a graduate student of sociology in the University of Pennsylvania, whose name among his people of the Mohawk Indians is "Rolling Thunder." He was reared on the Seneca Reservation in New York State and graduated from Syracuse University.

The American custom of granting women freedom in selecting a mate was originated by the Indians long before whites came to this continent. Newell said, the Indian woman also could obtain a divorce merely by asking for it. Marriages, however, were not hasty. Frequently a suit was lived for six months with the family of his intended. Newell said, in a modification of companionate marriage.

The practice of plucking superfluous hair was started by the Indians, who plucked their beards. The red men also had hair ornaments that make their locks smooth and shiny.

Newell said that five centuries before the League of Nations was proposed the Iroquois effected a plan for assuring peace between peoples with the "Five Nations" agreement. The Indians were pioneers in the custom of sun bathing, according to Newell, and they were less attired than modern sun bathers.

Rulers among the Indians were chosen for leadership and took pride in remaining the poorest men in the tribes.

Thanksgiving Day was celebrated nine times a year among the Indians, Newell asserted, and, contrary to general belief the first American Thanksgiving Day was an occasion for giving thanks because the Puritans succeeded in setting fire to a log house where 700 Indians were celebrating a Thanksgiving festival of their own. The Puritans according to Newell killed 380 red men who tried to escape from the burning building. The others perished in the flames.

Officials Strong For Newspaper Advertising

Isle Of Man Publicity Board Pleased With Results

Newspaper advertising has so well paid the Isle of Man this year that the official publicity board is asking the Manx Government for an additional sum of \$7,500 for advertising next season to supplement the customary grant of \$35,000 which legislative annually makes for this purpose.

Publicity board officials report they have never previously received so many applications for guides to the island in one year.

W. A. Clague, the secretary, said the efficiency of a judicious newspaper advertising campaign in attracting visitors had been proved by his board. It was not just a matter of chance the results could be counted upon.

Showed Their Training

Kansas Visitors To New York Left Hotel Rooms Tidy

Three middle-aged couples from Kansas, nice curly people, came to town the other day and put up at a hotel where they had reserved three adjoining rooms long in advance. They went to bed early, all of them, the first night, and were up and out to start sight-seeing by seven-thirty the next morning. The chambermaid, bustling in, delighted with guests who got so early. But there was very little for them to do. The nice, comely Kansas had tidied all three of the rooms and neatly made the beds. New Yorker.

A Real Bargain

Sandy Macpherson and Maggie, his wife, stopped in front of a restaurant window in which was hung a card bearing the words "Luncheon From 12 to 2 p.m. 18 cts."

"We'll have our lunch here, Maggie," said Sandy. "Two hours' steady eating for a shilling and six pence is no 'sae bad!'"

Production in Poland is now above the high of 1932.

A Partner For Discussion

Nations Cannot Dictate To Germany Says Sir John Simon

Sir John Simon, secretary for foreign affairs, told the House of Commons that Britain is resolved to do everything possible to make Germany, which withdrew from the disarmament conference last month, a partner again in arms discussions.

Sir John said there could have been no procedure more calculated to "drive the iron into Germany's soul" than to have told her that withdrawal from the conference made no difference—that the convention would be completed and then she be asked to sign on the dotted lines.

"Germany," said Sir John, "is not a target for dictation; she is a partner for discussion."

He said the government already has taken steps to play its full part in endeavoring to promote diplomatic consultations.

The foreign secretary told the legislators:

"We have already made it plain to the French Government—unhappily that government fell last night, but I don't believe in this respect that the French policy will change—that if the new way to enter into short communications with Berlin, they would have our complete good will in doing so."

The British Government, Sir John said, had communicated to Chancellor Hitler of Germany "that the whole of our influence would be used for the purpose of trying to bring about a spirit of negotiation and co-operative action instead of keeping Germany at a distance."

"We also," said Sir John, "have communicated to Italy how well satisfied we were to learn she agrees with us in keeping the conference in being, and how satisfied we were that the present procedure, which Italy has been urging on us, was the correct procedure."

Voice Of Firestone Returns To The Air

Lawrence Tibbett And Richard Crooks To Be Heard Over N.B.C.

On Monday evening, December 4th, another series of outstanding radio concerts will be inaugurated by the Firestone Tire & Rubber Company.

The many radio listeners who appreciate the best in music and who enjoyed the Firestone concerts in the past will be pleased to know that Lawrence Tibbett, leading baritone of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and Richard Crooks, noted tenor, have been re-engaged and will be heard alternately every Monday evening throughout the winter months. As in the past, their repertoires will include "A Song For Everybody." They will be accompanied by the Firestone Symphony Orchestra under the baton of William Merrigan Daly, brilliant young conductor and protégé of Walter Damrosch.

In response to numerous requests, Harvey S. Firestone, Jr., will resume the role of short-story writer and editorial talks which created such favorable comment two years ago.

The "Voice of Firestone" will be broadcast over a coast-to-coast N.B.C. Network, CFCB, Montreal and CFCB, Toronto, at 8:30 p.m., Eastern Standard Time and again at 8:59 p.m., Pacific Coast Time for the Western Province.

Souvenir Of The War

Only Thing One Englishman Had Was Leave Certificate

As the result of a chance encounter in Charing Cross post office a week or two ago, I dined the other night with an old comrade of the war.

This gentleman, though he served as a private in the ranks of the same battalion as myself, was then, as he still is, a man of considerable wealth. He has a fine house in Mayfair, a very pleasant country place too, several cars, and a big staff of domestic servants, including a smart chef-cum-butler. We had not met since posing over the top together in 1915 on an occasion that landed both of us on a stretcher. After dinner the talk was naturally of old army days.

I asked my friend whether he kept many souvenirs, in addition to that fifteen-year-old scarf of the Great Adventure, "Glorious Battle," he was pointing with his cigar at a framed document on his smoke-colored wall. It was a leave certificate, I signed by an army M.O., void, I said, that my host was "free from venereal and scabies." London Correspondent, Ottawa Journal.

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OCCASIONAL WIFE

By EDNA ROBB WEBSTER

Author of "Joretta," "Lipstick Girl" Etc.

SYNOPSIS

Camilla Hoyt, young and beautiful art student, and Peter Anson, a struggling sculptor, fall in love and marry secretly, deciding to live apart until the time Peter can establish himself. Camilla, he hopes to win a scholarship to study abroad, receives a call from a beautiful model, Sylvia Todd, who offers her help for almost nothing if he will employ her. He cannot afford a model, but promises to think it over.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER XX.

When Sylvia Todd had gone, Peter paced the floor in agitation. Her visit had resurrected again that fond dream of his life—to study abroad with Despoine and work at the Trecoird. Of course, entering the exhibit did not guarantee the opportunity, but he believed that he stood the chance with anyone. It was, at least, a chance.

But with his marriage to Camilla, he had put that hope aside resolutely. Should he win the scholarship, it would mean that he must take Camilla with him and support her, or leave her behind. He could not do the former and he would not do the latter. So he had convinced himself that there was little chance of his winning, and decided to devote his time to more remunerative pursuits.

Whether or not Camilla wanted him to feel responsible for her, he did, and he must see to it that he could take care of her soon. Further, he had resolved that if for art's sake did not begin to pay dividends soon, he would commercialize it.

But Sylvia Todd—beautiful girl—had stirred again that greatest ambition which he would have sacrificed to nothing in the world except his love for Camilla. He was restless all day, could not work in the studio. He went to the park after his class and wandered about aimlessly, thinking, debating what he should do. Perhaps if he entered the exhibit and lost, it would be the best thing for him, after all. He would have the satisfaction of knowing that he could not have gone abroad, anyway.

Headaches, Dizzy Spells

Mr. Jesse Smith, of 42 Long St., St. Catharines, Ontario, writes: "I suffered with inward and outward headaches and dizzy spells for several years and I did not get well until I used Headache and Dizzy Spells Remedy. I feel fine now and my blood is pure."

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At least, he would be more settled and content.

Strangely enough, when he saw Camilla that same evening, it was she who introduced the subject that weighed most heavily upon his mind.

"By the way, Peter, have you decided anything about your entry for the exhibit?" They had strolled to the park, where it was slightly cooler. The day had been oppressively warm and the studio stifling.

He started, as if she had struck him, for he was still revolving the matter in his mind. "Funny you should ask that, when I've just been thinking about it all day."

"Why shouldn't you be thinking about it?" she asked, surprised.

"Because I had stopped thinking about it," he replied.

Camilla faced him. "Stopped thinking about it?" Why, Peter Anson? Since when?

He avoided her eyes. "Well, I thought I hadn't much show of winning and—"

"No one has better," she contradicted him.

"There will be more entrants than usual this year. The closer money is the more there are who try for scholarships."

And what if they do? Even if you should not win, you could lose nothing."

"And if I should win—" he hesitated.

A moment of poignant silence and then Camilla understood. "Is that what has troubled you? Oh, Peter, darling, why didn't you tell me?" she cried with consternation.

"But you know, dear, that you are much more important to me than the 'national scholarship.' Winning it would mean that I go to Paris for a year—and I couldn't take you with me."

"Why, Peter, you 'have' to try for it. And if you win—well, manage somehow," bravely. "Oh, I never should have married you, Peter. Already, I am ruining your life."

"Please, Camilla, don't say that. Why, if you want me to try, I shall. But that doesn't mean I'll win, you know."

"And if you don't your work will attract attention—perhaps sell for a good price. Peter, what do sculptors get for their work? I haven't the slightest idea."

"And you married a sculptor?" he asked, amazed.

"I married the man I love."

"You darling!" he drew her close into his embrace and rested his lips on the top of her fragrant hair, reverently.

"Why didn't you answer my question," she insisted from the curve of his shoulder.

He laughed. "Well, the rewards of sculptors vary about as much as those of any profession of the arts. Much depends upon the needs and resources of the patron, the popularity of the artist and the critics. One jazz band can command thirty thousand a week while another is glad to accept one thousand. Their merits may or may not compare. It depends upon other conditions. Chester Dane did a piece of work last year that sold to the Vistar Galleries for forty thousand dollars. It was marvelous, of course, and I don't presume to be a Chester Dane."

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"You will, won't you?"

"Of course. But I don't see how I can afford—"

"You will have to manage somehow, Peter. I'll help you. I'm sure I shall find some work soon, and that will help both of us."

"Not much, little lady. Aren't you refusing to let me take care of you? I'll do the same."

"But that's different," she objected. "That would not be taking care of you—it would be an investment in your future."

"The same circumstances by any other name would make me just as dependent. No—I'll work it out some

way, as I should have done without you. Wasn't that our plan and agreement?"

"All right," agreed Camilla. "And the model—will she do?"

"Couldn't be better," he replied. "Would you believe it, dear, the poor kid was hungry and had walked all the way from seventy-fifth street?"

"And you turned her away?"

"Say—what do you think I am—a Scrooge?" he laughed. "No, I gave her a dollar for some dinner and told her I'd let her know tomorrow if I could use her."

"A good start," she chided him. "You were pretty sure you would need her?"

"No, I never would have decided if you had not urged me. I'm sorry I didn't talk it over with you before."

"Please always talk over everything with me, Peter, won't you? Isn't your interest mine, too?"

"Of course, forgive me, dearest. But I thought I was protecting you in this."

"Don't you suppose I should have been very much grieved if I had discovered too late that I had kept you out of the exhibit?"

"I see your side of it now, yes, I'm sorry."

"There are always two sides to anything which concerns you and me, Peter. Remember that, won't you?" she pleaded anxiously.

"Always," he pledged, with a firm, hard kiss.

Presently, he said, "Now help me decide about the subject. Of course, a fountain idea is always good stuff. I don't dare to plan for more than one figure because I couldn't afford several models—"

"But you must not sacrifice success to a meager expense like that," Camilla objected vehemently. All her life, she had been accustomed to extravagance and luxury of the sort in which the Hoyts indulged, and this realization of what a little money could mean to an ambitious youth, appalled her. She rebelled at the ignominy of it.

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Christmas Prize Drawings.

Mrs. Lloyd Hehn was the holder of the lucky ticket in the Berch radio contest and is now the owner of a beautiful 1934 Westinghouse Model Radio. Constable Kercher, who had no interest in the contest, drew the winning ticket.

In the Hillyard bicycle contest Riley Moon held the largest number of votes and was presented with a \$12.50 C.M. motorcycle. Ernie McGill won second prize, a pair of hockey skates and shoes, and Joe Crimmon, third prizewinner, received a hockey stick.

The Didsbury Bakery contest for the Christmas cake, which had been exhibited in the window, was won by Mrs. Fred Reifenstein.

In the H. W. Chambers contest Johnny Hollab, Ronald Folkman and Teddy Marcellus won the boys' wagons; Winnie Moon and Laura McCoy won doll carriages; and Norma Cole, Margaret Adhead, Geraldine Crimmon, Joyce Brennan, Joan Carleton, Doreen Gillie, Margaret Phillips, Phyllis Hughes, Gweneth Morgan and Shirley Halton won dolls.

Melvin Notes

Miss Ruth Johnston, of Didsbury spent the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarke spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Krebs were Xmas guests of Mrs. Krebs' parents Mr. and Mrs. Kershaw.

Master Lester Krebs spent Xmas at Bowden with his sister, Mrs. Harold Bliss.

Miss Lillian Kynod, of Elkton, spent Xmas week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Krebs.

Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Carlson's guests for Xmas were Mr. and Mrs. McMurray, Westcott, Misses Sophie and Louise Daniels, Mr. Daniels and Mr. Hardy, all of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. August Krebs and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bliss, of Bowden and Mrs. Bliss, of Eagle Hill, were Xmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Cowitz.

Miss Marion Leeson and Miss Monica Magon, of Calgary, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Leeson for the holidays. B. B. Leeson who has been attending the University of B.C. and Carlton Leeson, of the O.S.A., also spent the vacation with their parents.

KNOX UNITED CHURCH NOTES

The minister, officers and members of the Knox United Church and Congregation unite in wishing to all a Happy and Prosperous New Year. The New Year's service will be held on Sunday, January 7th, at 7:30 p.m., when the Minister will preach, his subject being "The Valley of Trouble—the Door of Hope."

We heartily invite all to join us and so to begin the New Year right. Despite the cold weather, the attendance at morning worship and Sunday school has been gratifying. We would like to see more adults, however, join us for worship at 11 a.m. and afterwards enter Mr. Moyle's class for bible study. It is good for parents to SEND their children—their better for parents to BRING their children.

We would extend our congratulations to Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Mitchell on the 30th anniversary of their marriage.

"Y" Notes.

The Y.W.C.T.U. will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. C. F. Reinde on Tuesday, Jan. 9th, at 8 p.m. All members and adherents are cordially invited.

WEEKLY SERMONETTE

No man reaches a high position without daring.

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LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Studer and Miss Wynne Studer were Calgary visitors on New Year.

Mrs. English and children, of Calgary, are visiting with her sister, Mrs. Percy Lunt.

Mr. Wm. Sutherland, of Ponoka, visited with friends here over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Roy Stringer, of Calgary, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Piper, of Red Deer, visited with their daughter, Mrs. Nyle Hunsperger during the holiday.

Misses T. Johnson and J. Kirby spent Christmas at the latter's home in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McFarquhar spent Christmas with their parents in Calgary.

Mr. Eddie Clemens, of Calgary, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Clemens over the holidays.

Mr. Ellwood Evans, of Pincher Creek, and Mr. Howard Evans, of Lacombe, spent the holidays with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart lighted left on Tuesday for Vancouver and Victoria where they will spend the winter months.

Mrs. Arthur Pearce and son, of Lethbridge, spent the past few weeks at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Burkholder.

Miss Dorothy Reist of the Red Deer Provincial Training School, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Reist for a few days this week.

A very interesting old News paper was shown to us this week by Mr. Bert Brooker. It is a copy of the "New York World," dated Sept. 25, 1893. The reports of the various battles in the American Civil War made interesting reading.

The morning service of Zion Evangelical Church will be held in the M.B.C. Church at 10:30 and the Sunday School at 11:30. There will be no evening service. The Junior, Intermediate, and Senior League will meet Monday in Knox Church at the usual hours.

The home of Frank L. Bell of Carstairs was the scene of a happy family reunion on Christmas Day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bell and family of Didsbury and daughter Mrs. Walter Gray of Strathmore. Harry Bell of Carstairs, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bell and daughter of Didsbury; Mrs. and Mrs. O. L. Shum and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wood and family of Carstairs. C. M. Bell of Red Deer, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bell and family of Ooks; Mrs. Frank Savers and son of Okotoks; Glenora Stephens a grand daughter, of Calgary.

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The hospital staff wish to extend their hearty thanks to those who kindly sent remembrances at Christmas: Halliday's Grocery, Mr. J. Kirby, A. Dedels, J. Macdonough. Also the unknown benefactor who left a nice turkey.

Riley Moon wishes to thank all those who were instrumental in his winning the bicycle in the Hillyard bicycle contest.

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